

Message Text

PAGE 01 NATO 04645 251917Z

60

ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 PM-04 INR-07 L-03 ACDA-10

NSAE-00 PA-02 SS-15 PRS-01 SP-02 USIA-15 TRSE-00

SAJ-01 COME-00 EB-07 (ISO) W
----- 129804

R 251835Z AUG 76

FM USMISSION NATO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9166

SECDEF WASHDC

INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

UNCLAS USNATO 4645

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MARR, NATO

SUBJ: TRADE OPPORTUNITY: TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF AERIAL DEFENSE
RADAR

REFS: A) TELECON CAMPBELL - STRAUSS LEON 24 AUG 76; B) BRUSSELS
08196 DTG 231627Z AUG 76; C) STATE 179284 DTG 202155Z JUL 76.

1. FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF REF B, MISSION REP (CAMPBELL) CONTACTED THE BELGIAN NATO DELEGATION (ECONAD DE BROUWERE) TO EMPHASIZE US DISAPPOINTMENT OVER BELGIAN ARMY REFUSAL TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR BID SUBMISSION AND TO REQUEST RECONSIDERATION. DE BROUWERE LATER REAFFIRMED THE DECISION AND EMPHASIZED THE BELGIAN MOD CONCERN OVER POSSIBLE LAPSE OF THE FUNDS FOR THE PROJECT IF THE CONTRACT WERE NOT SIGNED BY 31 DEC 76 (MENTIONED REF B).

2. ON THE BASIS OF REF A, WE INFORMED DE BROUWERE THAT THE US WOULD BE REQUESTING A TWO-WEEK EXTENSION OF THE CLOSING DATE (MANDATORY PER AC/4-D/2261) INCLUDING CONCURRENT EXTENSION OF THE PERIOD FOR SITE VISITATION BY BIDDERS. THE FORMAL REQUEST HAS GONE TO THE BELGIAN DELEGATION UNDER DATE OF 25 AUGUST 76.

3. IN ADDITION TO ADVISING US BIDDERS OF THE EXTENSION, WE
UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 NATO 04645 251917Z

SUGGEST YOU URGE THEM TO ACT PROMPTLY ON ARRANGEMENTS WITH
MOD BELGIUM FOR SITE VISITATION (PARA 2 OF REF C).

4. COMMERCIAL ATTACHE KELLER OF AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS WAS

ADVISED OF OUR ACTION.STRAUSZ-HUPE

UNCLASSIFIED

<< END OF DOCUMENT >>

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 30 AUG 1999
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 25 AUG 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976NATO004645
Document Source: ADS
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: NATO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t197608101/baaaayij.tel
Line Count: 58
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: n/a
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: cahillha
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 03 MAR 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <03 MAR 2004 by morefirh>; APPROVED <31 JAN 2005 by cahillha>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: n/a
TAGS: MARR, NATO
To: STATE
SECDEF
MULTIPLE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006